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TEXT OF LETTER AND RESOLUTION ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT BY MR. CODACCI-PISANILLI, PRESIDENT OF THE INTER-PARLIAMENTARY COUNCIL

October 26, 1962

Dear Mr. President:

I have the honor to bring to your urgent attention the enclosed resolution which was unanimously adopted this morning by the 51st Inter-Parliamentary Conference, meeting in Brasilia with the participation of representatives of 47 Parliaments.

Following is the text of the resolution:

Deeply disturbed by the sudden increase in international tension and by the dangerous consequences which events in the region of Cuba, as well as on the Sino-Indian frontier, could entail for world peace;

convinced that all international disputes should be settled without resort to force by direct negotiations between the parties concerned or through procedures provided for this purpose in the United Nations charter;

convinced that all possibilities of equitable agreements on above-mentioned problems have not yet been exhausted;

appeals urgently to governments of the United States and the Soviet Union, as well as those of India and the Peoples' Republic of China, to avoid henceforward taking any action which might lead to catastrophe of general conflict for peoples of world;

invites the United Nations to take urgently, in the spirit of the Charter, all appropriate measures which would contribute to the maintenance of peace and settle ment of present disputes.

Partially Declaration/Released on under provisions of E.O. 12356
by N. Menan, National Security Council

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Codacci-Pisanilli

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